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AGRICULTURAL SCHEMES
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of various agricultural schemes being implemented by the Government for the development of agriculture and welfare of the farmers in the country;

(b) whether production of various agricultural produce including rice, wheat and pulses has increased after the implementation of schemes viz. National Food Security Mission and Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY);

(c) if so, the comparative details thereof and the achievements made under various schemes including RKVY during the last three years and current year;

(d) the number of farmers benefited by these schemes, State-wise; and

(e) the details of the funds released to various States including Rajasthan and Chhattisgarh during the last three years and current year, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. SANJEEV KUMAR BALYAN)

(a): The Department of Agriculture & Cooperation (DAC) is implementing a number of schemes namely, Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH), National Food Security Mission (NFSM), National Mission of Oilseeds and Oil Palm (NMOOP), National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET), National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA), Integrated Scheme on Agriculture Marketing (ISAM), Integrated Scheme on Agriculture Cooperation (ISAC), Integrated Scheme on Agri-Census & Statistics (ISAC&S), National Crop Insurance Programme (NCIP), and Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojna (RKVY), for development of agriculture and welfare of farmers.

(b): Various initiatives taken by DAC have resulted in increase in food-grain (including rice, wheat and pulses) production from 230.78 Million Tonnes in 2007-08 to 264.40 Million Tonnes in 2013-14.

The major food grain wise production position during the last three years is as under :-

(in Million Tonnes)

Commodity	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14#
Wheat	94.88	93.5	95.90
Rice	105.30	105.23	106.54
Pulses	17.08	18.34	19.27

#as per 4th Advance Estimates

(c) to (e): Except crop insurance schemes, most of the programmes are meant for group of farmers in a cluster or a locality. Funds are released to State Governments for implementation as per norms.

A statement indicating individual beneficiaries is at Annexure-I.

The statement indicating funds released to various States under the schemes of DAC during the last three years and the current year is at Annexure-II.